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APPLICATION IDENTIFIER: Chao Lin et al.,

FOR: A QUANTITATIVE ASSAY FOR NUCLEIC ACID

January 30, 2002  
Cambridge, Massachusetts

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REQUEST FOR FILING A NEW NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION  
UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b)

1. This is a request for filing a new nonprovisional application under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b).
2. ☒ Specification and Drawings (Total pages:35);  
Specification (27 pages); Claims (7 pages); Abstract (1 page); and  
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☐ Informal
3. ☒ Declaration and Power of Attorney  
☐ Unsigned  
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4. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)  
☐ Copy of IDS and PTO-1449 (\_\_ pages)  
☐ Copies of references cited
5. ☐ Assignment Papers  
☐ Recordation Form Cover Sheet (PTO-1595)  
☐ Assignment Document
6. ☐ Statement Claiming Small Entity Status  
☐ Claiming Small Entity As Independent Inventor (37 C.F.R. §§1.9(f) & 1.27(b)).  
☐ Claiming Small Entity As Small Business Concern (37 C.F.R. §§1.9(f) & 1.27(c)).  
☐ Claiming Small Entity As Nonprofit Organization (37 C.F.R. §§1.9(f) & 1.27(d)).

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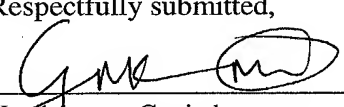
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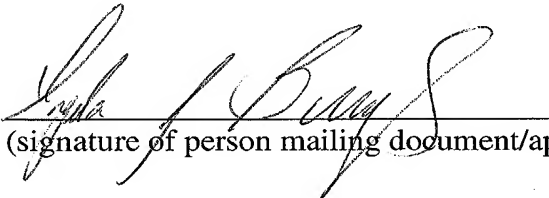
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